



FEGGA CONFERENCE

VIENNA, AUSTRIA, 25th-28th FEBRUARY 2010

Dear Members,

On behalf of FEGGA I would like to invite you to participate in our forthcoming Conference to be held at the very traditional Wimberger Arcotel Hotel, a short journey from the airport, and just 15 minutes walk into the centre of Vienna. You can find more information about the hotel by visiting www.arcotel.at The Conference will commence with a Reception Dinner on the evening of Thursday 25th February 2010. The 28th February 2010 will be a departure day only.

Conference Content:

This years Conference programme will cover a variety of the core subjects relevant to industry issues facing us today. We have also looked at all your responses following last years Conference within our questionnaire and tried to introduce many of them within the content of this years programme.

We had overwhelming support for the group work that we introduced last year and how much you gained from participating in this work. We will focus this work on managing your Association, focusing on Marketing, Communicating with your Members and industry, and associations working together more to achieve greater effect. We also will take a look at data collection and its effectiveness. This work will be illustrated through a series of short Presentations and followed by group work led by Frank Newberry.

Other areas that we will focus on are the new GEO Certification programme, launched during 2009. Jonathan Smith will run a Presentation to help organisations to have more of an understanding of the registration process, what is involved and the real time needed to get registered. We also have included a session looking at water, a real issue facing golf. We have some interesting Presentations lined up to focus your attention and to help you prepare for the next key steps, including the EU Water basin Directive.

The work of the European Greenkeepers Education Unit (egeu) has progressed well during the year and we now need to focus on its next steps and to have your feedback on the real role it needs to play in the future.

Our FEGGA student presentations will this year take a different theme; they have all been working with individual projects and will report on their findings that fit into the core subjects of the Conference.

As you can see we have a far reaching programme that will benefit our industry throughout and with your contribution can provide a valuable resource for the future.

The FEGGA board look forward to welcoming you to Vienna and spending valuable time with you all.

Dean Cleaver - Executive Officer

CONFERENCE PATRONS



FEGGA AGM

This year's agm will take place on Friday afternoon

Further information will follow in the run-up to the Conference regarding the final timed programme

BOOKING FORM FOR ASSOCIATION MEMBERS

Through sponsorship of this event we are able to subsidise the first two delegates. Further delegates attending will however have to pay the full amount.

The cost is inclusive of hotel accommodation at the Wimberger Arcotel hotel, lunches, dinners and conference costs for 25th – 28th February 2010 (3 nights)

All bookings along with payment need to be made to Dean Cleaver – FEGGA CEO by 5th February 2010. (Forms can be returned either by email at deancleaver@fegga.org or via fax at +44 1789 762912)

Delegate 1

Name:	
Address:	
Contact Telephone Number:	
e-mail:	
Price per delegate (Single room)	€470
Price per delegate (Sharing Twin room)	€320

Delegate 2

Name:	
Address:	
Contact Telephone Number:	
e-mail:	
Price per delegate (Single room)	€470
Price per delegate (Sharing Twin room)	€320

Delegate 3

Name:	
Address:	
Contact Telephone Number:	
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Price for Third Delegate:	€695

Total amount	
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Payment can be made by cheque, payable to FEGGA or by direct transfer to:

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